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The Weekly Gazette is now the largest paper printed in the State, and having the largest circulation in any newspaper in Wisconsin. It is published every day, except on Sundays and public holidays, in giving the latest news from all quarters, in literary and in local information, it is a most valuable and complete. It is published at a low price, and is well adapted to the wants of the public and the support.

The News.

Our dispatches this evening contain the usual amount of news from Sherman through rebel sources. As they have nothing to exult over, it is safe to conclude that Sherman's army is all right. Some of the rebel papers admit that the boys in blue are splendidly armed and equipped, and are in want of nothing.

General Grant has sent out Warren on a new expedition to the south, which seems to be giving the rebels considerable alarm, judging from the tone of the papers. The Dutch Gap canal is reported completed.

General Sheridan is not idle in the Shenandoah Valley.

In the North Carolina legislature, resolutions have been introduced in favor of sending commissioners to Washington to negotiate a peace.

Gov. Smith, of Virginia, recommends a more sweeping conscription, and is in favor of arming the slaves.

The exchange of prisoners is going on rapidly.

From Nashville.

Joseph Baker, Esq., of this city has just received a letter from his son who is now at Nashville with his company. The letter is dated the fifth, and we extract the following:

"We now form a part of the force defending Nashville, at present besieged by the rebel army. We have good works built, and only hope that the rebels will be sufficiently fool-hardy to charge them. Nashville is, in my opinion, in no more danger of capture than Janesville, at least the army feels no uneasiness regarding it.

To-day the 14th and 16th colored, and 68th Ind., made a reconnaissance, and had a handsome little skirmish, driving the 'Johnnyes' from their 'gopher holes' and learning what we wished to know. My company was on the skirmish line and captured four prisoners, one of whom was a 1st Lieutenant, who delivered his sword to a Sergeant of my company, which sword now lies in my 'log-tent.' Fancy the feelings of that insulted son of chivalry. 'Can such things be?'

Captain Baker sends home to his parents, a very significant relic for a Christian present, in the shape of a cap that was torn from his head by the fragments of a shell! Had he been a half inch taller, his company would have needed a new captain.

Every nook and cranny in Nashville, says the Press of that city, 'is full of refugees, who have abandoned their homes and their property to the ruthless invader, and have fled to the city as a refuge from the merciless rebel conscription, which is said to be taking all males between 15 and 60. As rapidly as these conscripts are collected, they are placed in the ranks, each man between two confederate veterans, who are ordered to keep a sharp lookout on their new comrades. The rebels sweep the country clean as they advance. Forage and provisions, horses, mules and cattle, are remorselessly appropriated, while here and there the torch does its work.'

Earnings of the Northwestern Road.

From a circular statement just issued by James R. Young, Esq., Secretary of the Northwestern Railroad Co., we learn that the earnings of the road for the month of November, just closed, amount to \$705,490.59 against \$435,945.01 for the same month during the preceding year, an increase of 61.85 per cent.

The following table shows the gross earnings of the road from June 1st to November 30th, (6 months) for the past two years:

On the single item of 'miscellaneous' only is there a decrease, which amounts to \$5,621.07. The aggregate net increase is \$1,265,165.43. The percentage of increase over last year's business during the same months is 52.47.

"A FRIEND OF THE LORD."—Do any of you know old Bill Love? Once there was a Methodist revival in town. Bill was there—and article too full of his kind of spirit to hold much of the other kind. But he sat still. At last the sermon was ended, and the minister came down from his proclamation stand and said, "Now I want all who love the Lord to come forward and be prayed for."

No one moved. In a minute he repeated: "Brothers and sisters, I want all who love the Lord, or wish to love him, to come forward on the bench."

No one moved. In a minute he looked mad, and spoke out rather quick:

"If there is a man in the house who is a friend of the Lord, I want him to come forward—(he has no friends we will quit)." Just then old Bill arose, hitched up his trousers, and, in a peculiar half-groan voice, sang out:

"Hold on, that I'm I'm a friend of the Lord, or any other man, who hant no more friends than he 'pears to 'ave in this section."

The Albany Statesman suggests that if Sherman had been supplied with fifty carrier-pigeons, the government could have heard from him twice a day. The distance between Milledgeville and Washington could be done by a carrier-pigeon in ten hours.

It is thought action on the constitutional amendment abolishing slavery will be delayed a short time, for the benefit of the Democrats.

Pennsylvanians are moving for the appointment of John W. Foxworth to a place in the Cabinet.

BY TELEGRAPH.

Reported Expressly for the Gazette.

THE WAR FOR THE UNION.

Sherman's March South!

Rebel Speculations Regarding Him.

Gov't has nothing Official from Him.

INTERESTING SOUTHERN NEWS.

What Rebel Governors Say!

Interesting from Gen. Grant.

A New Expedition Started South!

Evacuation of Petersburg Looked for!

LATE WASHINGTON NEWS.

Election of Senators from West Va.

FROM THE SHENANDOAH VALLEY.

FROM THE SOUTH.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Richmond papers of Thursday 8th, say, nothing definite had been received at the Confederate War Department regarding Sherman's movements.

New York, December 10.—A Milledgeville correspondent of the Augusta Constitutionalist says the Yankees were admirably clothed and appointed. Each man had eighty rounds of ammunition, while their wagons contained fixed material without stint. Rations for 30 days had been prepared, and they suffered for nothing.

New York, Dec. 11.—In the N. C. legislature, resolutions have been introduced in favor of sending commissioners to Washington to negotiate a peace.

In the S. C. legislature, resolutions have been introduced, depriving peace negotiations. A discussion of the Union is conceded. Gov. Pickens, in his message to the S. C. legislature, opposes peace without independence.

The Richmond Dispatch is bitter upon the southerners in New York and at the North, and says if the Confederacy triumphs they cannot expect to return to the South.

In the rebel Senate, on the 20th ult., Mr. Orr submitted a report denouncing the capture of the pirate Florida in the Bahamas.

In the House Mr. Poote offered a resolution that Congress has no authority to interfere on the subject of the emancipation of slaves as recommended by Jeff. Davis. Also against negotiating for peace, but favoring a convention of States for the vigorous prosecution of the war.

New York, Dec. 12.—The Richmond Dispatch of the 9th says the only news from the far south yesterday, was that Foster was renewing his demonstrations against the Charleston and Savannah railroad, thereby seeking to divert the attention of part of our troops from Sherman.

The Petersburg Express of the 8th says of Warren's expedition: The expedition of the enemy was reported yesterday morning at Proctors, some 20 miles distant south, and still in motion. Blasted by the success of the raid on Stony Creek Grant has probably started out a larger and better equipped body of troops on a similar expedition farther down the Weldon railroad. That it is a raiding party we have little doubt, but its destination is unknown.

The latest information from the enemy on the Weldon Railroad, is that they were still moving towards Weldon and were provided with such an amount of stores as to induce the belief that they were provided for a long march, or at all events, for a long absence. It is useless to speculate on their plans which will be fully known in a day or two. It is probable that the primary object of this movement was to occupy the road and so injure it as to prevent our sending army reinforcements to our forces operating against Sherman.

New York, Dec. 12.—The Richmond Examiner of the 9th, says Sherman is reported to have reached a point half way between Millen and Savannah and is believed to be marching on the latter place. We hope it is true. We hope he will attack Savannah, but the hope is faint, for when he reaches that neighborhood and gets some clear information as to what Savannah is, he will turn his steps in another direction.

The Charleston Mercury of the 5th says Sherman is evidently marching for Savannah or some other point in its neighborhood. On Friday morning the 2d inst., his main body broke up camp at Louisville Ga., and marched down the Central R. R. the 14th and 20th corps which form his left wing leaving in advance, and before nightfall the greater portion of the Yankee column had passed through Millen in the direction of Savannah. We have no later dates of its whereabouts.

The Charleston Mercury of the 5th also says passengers who arrived Sunday evening report a fight was going on some where near Pocotaligo as they passed that point, but no definite details in regard to the progress of result of the reported action could be gathered.

New York, Dec. 12.—A Washington special to the Tribune dated 11th, says that Charleston papers of the 6th announce that Sherman was at Station No. 6 on the 5th, 50 miles from Savannah. He was marching in the direction of Savannah.

His previous report that a detachment from Butler had effected a lodgment on the south side of the James, between Divvy's bluff and the Rebel position at the Howlett House, is now discarded by the Richmond press. Affairs along the front they say had for some days been very quiet, but a grand attack by Grant was still hourly apprehended.

LATER.—Rebel papers contain the message of Governor Smith of Virginia, delivered before the rebel legislature of the State last Thursday. He recommended a repeal of the State law which exempts certain of the citizens from conscription by Jeff. Davis' officers, and says he is utterly at a loss to understand why these men should not be swept into the army as well as others. He also expresses himself in favor of arming the slaves, and thinks the legislature should pass some act regulating the price of necessities of life.

The exchange of prisoners which had temporarily closed at Savannah, is now progressing as rapidly as possible. Washington, Sunday, Dec. 11.—It is something to know, from the silence of the Richmond papers of Friday last, on this subject, that up to that time Sherman had continued his progress towards the sea without serious interruption. They say he was last heard from at a point south of Millen, on the road to Savannah, but do not say when this was. They are still full of boasts of what is going to happen to him, and they still talk largely of the gallant forces he will soon find confronting him, precisely as they have talked from the day his movement began, but they give no indication of real danger to him.

They think he is going to Savannah, but the opinion continues general that he is more likely to emerge at Ossabaw Sound. He is without a siege train, and it is thought, therefore, that he is scarcely likely to plunge straight against the fortifications of Savannah.

FROM GRANT'S ARMY. HEADQUARTERS ARMY OF THE POTOMAC, Dec. 8.—Yesterday at daylight the fifth corps with the 2d division of the 2d corps and two brigades of Gregg's cavalry started south. They were heard from yesterday and had crossed the Gallows river on the Jerusalem road, without meeting opposition of any consequence. They crossed on pontoons which they took up after crossing. Deserters who came into our lines this morning state that Mahon's rebel division was sent off yesterday to meet the advance force but as no firing has been heard in that direction to-day, it is not believed any engagement has taken place.

December 9, Morning.—A reconnoitering force of cavalry went out on the left yesterday afternoon, striking the rebel pickets on the Vaughan road, driving them to Hatcher's Run, a distance of over two miles, where they had breastworks erected and where they made a stand, skirmishing continued for some time, when the object of the movement having been fully accomplished the expedition returned. Our loss was seven wounded, but that of the enemy is unknown. Some of those who accompanied this party report that heavy firing was heard in the direction of Stony Creek which indicates that fighting was going on between Gen. Warren and the enemy.

FROM THE CANADIAN BORDER.

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FROM SHERIDAN'S ARMY.

New York, Dec. 10.—The Tribune's Washington special says a few days ago, Gen. Stevenson, commanding Harper's Ferry, sent out a scouting party of 30 men in the direction of Waterford, Loudon Co., to watch Mosby who was reported by citizens, to be preparing for a raid into Maryland.

At Waterford our cavalry struck the head of Mosby's force and a skirmish immediately ensued, in which we lost seven men killed, wounded and captured.

The rebels, who outnumbered us three to one, lost equally as many if not more. Among their killed was Capt. Montgomerie, one of Mosby's ablest officers. At Leesburg, on their return, the party captured a member of the rebel Gen. Morton's staff who was visiting a lady.

FROM CAIRO AND BELOW.

St. Louis, Dec. 11.—The Republic's Cairo correspondent says considerable excitement prevails at Memphis. It is reported Beauregard is marching on Port Pillow with a strong force and heavy guns supposed to be used to blockade the river.

Ossawatimie is occupied by a small force of rebels.

About 150 rebels appeared on the river bank opposite Memphis waved their hats and handkerchiefs for Jeff Davis yesterday.

A force of about 150 negroes were sent aboard a ship about a mile lower down the river and landed. When they filed out on shore the rebels broke and ran, apparently in the greatest consternation, hotly pursued by the negroes till they came to a thick brushy place, where the rebels had a large force selected who then suddenly rose and fired on the negroes who fled in the greatest consternation, the rebels hotly pursuing. They were slaughtered at a dreadful rate. Numbers rushed into the river and were drowned, and one report says but seven negroes returned. Another says more got back.

STEAMBOAT EXPLOSION.

St. Louis, Dec. 11.—The Steamer Maria, from St. Louis for Cairo, exploded near Gerardville six miles below St. Louis early this morning. The explosion took place on the larboard side, going upward and making a hole in the boiler deck through which several persons fell. They say the cause of the explosion may be caused by a box of ammunition in the hold.

There were 80 soldiers of the 3d and 4th Iowa cavalry with 150 horses and mules on board. Soldiers say the explosion was caused by an insufficiency of water in the boiler, which burst. The boat grounded on the bar and was entirely consumed by fire. All the horses and mules were lost. It is reported that 20 men were killed, 30 wounded and 12 missing. The soldiers lost everything. The boat was entirely new and valued at \$40,000.

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Table with 4 columns: Line, Station, Time, and Remarks. Includes Chicago & Northwestern, Milwaukee & St. Paul, and Milwaukee & Prairie du Chien.

Arrival and Departure

Table with 4 columns: Line, Station, Time, and Remarks. Details arrivals and departures for various railroads.

The Young Men's Literary Union

meets this evening at 7 o'clock. A general invitation is extended to all, especially to those who desire to become members of the Society.

Godoy for January.

Messrs. Leavitt & Dearborn have laid on our table Godoy for January. It will be of more than ordinary interest to the ladies, as it is full of good things for them.

Our Court.

Edward F. Burdick vs Isaac O. Clure. Jury find for plaintiff, and assess his damages at \$100. Rogers & Mitchell for plaintiff; Bates & Patterson for defendant.

Choice Holiday Goods.

Those who would like to feast their eyes on something rich and desirable in the way of holiday goods, can gratify their taste by looking through the jewelry stock of Messrs. J. A. Webb & Co., which embraces pretty much every thing usually found in an extensive establishment of this kind.

Funeral Service of Lieut. Amberg.

The Reverend Mr. Thompson, of the Presbyterian Church, yesterday preached from Ezra, 3d chapter, 12th verse, the funeral service of Lieut. Marcus J. Amberg, of the 12th Battery, who fell at Allentown. It was an able discourse, and was listened to with marked attention by the large audience assembled to hear it.

Thermometer.

Yesterday was an exceedingly blustering and uncomfortable day, and quite cold. The wind was from the north, and toward night the wind went down, and a steady rain fell.

Valuable Invention.

In the freight office of the Milwaukee & Prairie du Chien Railway Company, in this city, is a new telegraph registering instrument, the invention of Mr. I. E. Brown, of Milwaukee. It is by all odds one of the neatest things of the kind ever seen, and is about as much ahead of the old instrument as a first class passenger coach is ahead of the lumber wagon of twenty years ago.

A Question for Lawyers.

The following knotty question has been sent us with a request to submit it to the Janesville Bar: A hires B to dig a cellar. After spending several days at the work, B becomes tired of the job, and quits it. He then requests A to pay him for what he has already done, but A refuses. B then goes and steals the hole and sells it out in small quantities for pot holes! The question now is, should A. repay him the holes, or prosecute B for stealing?

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Death of E. R. Doe, Esq.

The sudden and unexpected death of E. R. Doe, Esq., President of the First National Bank of this city, has cast a gloom and a sadness over this community that is felt by all classes of citizens. A correspondent in another column has paid a just and truthful tribute to his stern integrity, his true manhood, and to the practical virtues that adorned his well-ordered life. Those who have been in the habit of meeting him from day to day, in transacting the ordinary matters of business, will feel that a great void has been created here by the relentless hand of death, and will realize how irreparable is the loss to his family and relatives. His death would have been a great bereavement to the people of this city at any time, but the shock was doubly painful from its suddenness, as very few persons had any intimation of his illness, until his death was announced. How true, in this instance, are the familiar words of Young:

"Death leaves a stinging mark, a signal blow,
Which whistles through the air, and strikes the soul,
And starts the living from their beds, and wakes
The dead, who startle at the sound of woe."

Almost a Fire.

The fine brick house occupied by Rev. Mr. Farrington at the head of east Milwaukee street, built by Dr. Bailey, had a very narrow escape from burning yesterday, while the family were at church. The fire originated in a room on the second floor, occupied by some young lads who are being taught by Mr. F. and when discovered was making good progress, in the floor and joints. By the prompt and energetic action of those who were first on the ground, the fire was extinguished and the building saved, although the floor of the room was entirely ruined by cutting and burning, as well as the plastering overhead in the room below. How the room was set on fire, is known, although it probably caught from a spark thrown from the coal grate, which is very unusual thing for coal to

The house belongs to Mr. Peter Myers, and is uninsured. The damage done will amount to about \$50.

Missionary Meetings.

Rev. S. J. Humphrey of Chicago, District Secretary of the American Board, accompanied by two returned missionaries, Rev. Augustus Walker, of Eastern Turkey, and Rev. E. T. Donno, of Micronesia, will hold Missionary meetings, afternoon and evening of Tuesday, December 13th, at the Congregational church, Janesville. The object of these meetings is to impart valuable information in regard to the foreign missionary enterprise, and to deepen the interest of Christians in giving the gospel to all lands of the earth. Addresses will be made by the returned missionaries, detailing their life and experience in heathen lands. The exercises will be enlivened by the use of maps, the exhibition of the native costume and by singing in the native language.

In the afternoon at 3 o'clock there will be a children's meeting. While the addresses will be adapted to the young, adults cannot fail to be interested. The evening meeting will be held at 7 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Kinney, writing from Rockford, says the large church at that place was filled to hear these gentlemen, and the exercises were of the most interesting character.

Dr. Henry Palmer.

Contrary to our expectations, Surgeon Palmer, who for more than two years' had charge of this Hospital, was transferred by special order to the Middle Military Department, and has now his quarters in the city of Baltimore, as Acting Medical Inspector of the Eight Army Corps.

During the two years he was in service here, he won for himself the confidence and respect not only of his government, but of a large circle of sincere friends and acquaintances, who will miss him, and the daily rounds of professional duty and the more agreeable and genial associations of the parlor and the drawing room. Dr. Palmer is a man of rare talent, in many particulars, and it is not often we meet with one, in his position, whose administrative capacities will compare with his. His sincere prayer is, that he may long live to enjoy the confidence of his country, which he has served so well, and when this "ardent wish is over," return to the society of his friends, in the home of his adoption, where his presence, we have no doubt, always has been and ever will be welcome. —Cavbridge Box.

Exercise for Girls.

It is when we begin to examine the subjects of the exercise which girls at school receive that the great error of all comes to light—the error which increases tenfold the evil results of every other. There is not a want that has been over there as affecting boys; there is not an ailment through which they must pass, but must be experienced also by girls. They grow as the same laws of their development why they are there is no single reason why they should be denied the same in all important points of health, yet the idea of making any provision for their employment—the idea of employing it at all—seems never to have been contemplated. The two-and-two walk is the sole and single form of exercise that appears ever to have presented itself as being necessary or even desirable. Can we wonder then, that the hollow chest and twisted spine are so sadly frequent, or that the habit of long-continued sitting should not so fatally upon the healthful and symmetrical development of the whole body? It is strange that so few grow to womanhood either healthily or gracefully. Is it not rather a matter of wonder that any should do so at all? It may be objected that a larger allowance of playtime would too greatly interfere with the studies. But I answer that it is not found to do so in boys' schools. On the contrary it is found that a boy comes fresher to his work from a game, and fresher still from half-hourly play pastimes. And, even if it did curtail the time for schoolwork, could this not be reduced? Are there none of the studies which could be dispensed with or curtailed for so important a purpose? Is, for instance, the custom of requiring girls to sit for two and even three hours a day, every day in the week, upon a high stool practicing music good for either mind or body? extended too, as it is, to almost all, weak or strong, clever or dull, finding pleasure in it from force of natural taste or to talent, or loathing it as a mere wearisome, mechanical labor? Would the loss be great if some portion of this were curtailed for the sake of present and future health? Or is it an advantage, a method of preparation for their coming years that our girls at this time of rapid growth, when the body is taking the shape which it is to carry through life, should be bending for hours at a time over the drawing board—the highest attainable aim in the majority of instances being the power of copying, with some degree of correctness, the work of another person? Where there is indication of natural talent, of real liking for either of these pursuits, there is doubtless great reason why it should receive all due cultivation and encouragement, and some promising school may give way to it; but where there is none, does this practice become something more than folly? Is it not positive cruelty? —Macmillan's Magazine.

CITY NOTICES.

Dyspepsia, Nervousness, and Debility, Dr. Strickland's Tonic.—We can recommend those suffering with Loss of Appetite, Indigestion, or Dyspepsia, Nervousness and Nervous Debility, to use Strickland's Tonic. It is a vegetable preparation, free from alcohol and narcotics; it strengthens the whole nervous system; it creates a good appetite, and is warranted to cure Dyspepsia and Nervous Debility.

For sale by Druggists generally at \$1 per bottle. Prepared by Dr. A. Strickland, 6 East Fourth Street, Cincinnati, O.

E. F. Colwell Wholesale agent for Wisconsin. aug23dawley:11

Editors Gazette.

In your issue of last evening I notice a false statement made by J. L. Darling in regard to pianos, which I wish to correct. The Knabe Pianos took the first premium and diploma, as best parlor piano at the State Fair lately held in this city, and there was no second premium offered or rewarded.

D. D. Wilson, agent for Knabe Pianos.

Social Party.

A party will be given at the Hyatt House Hall next Wednesday evening (the 14th) by the Janesville City Quadrille Band, John Tuckwood, leader. Tickets one dollar. The public are invited to attend. dlt6899.

Messrs. Editors:—In your issue of Saturday I observe a note from Mr. D. D. Wilson, charging that I have made a misstatement in reference to the award of premiums on pianos at the last State Fair. If any one has doubts relative to the matter in question, he can satisfy himself by calling at my store and examining the official documents. J. L. DARLING, dlt6400

Elegant is no name for the cloak ornaments.

buttons and dress trimmings to be found at Slocum's, Myers Block, Janesville, Wis. nov17dawley309.

Coat.

Macdon & Bailey are offering all sizes of choice family coat at \$20 per ton. Office under First National Bank, deodiff.

Two good second hand pianos for sale cheap at Darling's music store, Myer's Block. oct10dawley149.

COMMERCIAL.

REPORTED FOR THE JANEVILLE GAZETTE, BY HUMP & GRAY, GRAIN AND PRODUCE DEALERS.

JANESVILLE, Dec. 12, 1904

Receipts of wheat were again fair to day and prices at standing quotations, being 1.66@1.85 for milling spring and 1.40@1.60 for shipping grades. Oats were active and 35¢ higher with sales at 65¢@70¢ bushel. Barley was in good demand and prices ruled 20¢@25¢ per bushel. Higher, \$5.00 per head at a range of 12.50@15.00 for extra heavy.

We make up prices as follows:

WHEAT—Good to choice milling, spring 1.60@1.85; shipping grades 1.40@1.60.

FLOUR—Spring at retail, \$4.50 per 100 lbs.

RYE—In good request at 90¢@1.05 per 60 lbs.

BARLEY—Prime samples 1.20@1.50 per 60 lbs.; common to fair 1.00@1.10.

CORN—Bar 80¢@85¢ per 72 lbs.; shelled per 60 lbs 1.00@1.10.

WHEAT—Active at 57¢@60¢.

RYE—Fair to prime white 1.10@1.20; common to fair 1.00@1.10.

POTATOES—Choice Mchanoels and Peach Rivers 60¢@65¢.

TIMOTHY SEED—per 60 lbs. 3.00@4.00.

FLAX SEED—per 60 lbs. 2.00@2.25.

BUTTER—Choice roll and fair 20¢@25¢.

EGGS—Scarcely at 25¢@30¢ per doz.

HIDES—Green 1.15¢@1.20; dry 1.20¢@1.25.

SHEEP PRICES—Range from 1.00¢@2.00 each.

WOLVES—Range from 50¢@75¢ per 100 lbs.

DRYED HOGS—Range from 12.00¢@14.00 per 100 lbs. for light to extra heavy.

NEW YORK MARKET.

(By Telegraph) New York, Dec. 12.

FLOUR—Dull. 10.10¢@10.20 for extra No. 1, 11.25¢@11.35 for No. 2.

WHEAT—Quiet and unaltered. No. 2 Chicago spring 2.71.

CORN—Dull and heavy. 1.00 for inland western OATS—1¢ better.

PORE—Firm. 30.25 for 2 year old meat, 35.00 for 1 year old; 31.00¢@37.75 for prime.

COFFIN—Closed 2.71¢.

MILWAUKEE MARKET.

(By Telegraph) Milwaukee, Dec. 12.

FLOUR—Dull with no sale.

WHEAT—Firm but dull. No. 1 4.75

DIED.

At his residence in the city of Janesville, Wis., on the evening of Sunday, December 11th, 1904, Mr. E. R. DOW, aged 64 years, died.

Funeral service at his late residence at 2 o'clock p. m., Tuesday, Dec. 13th.

Shocked and stricken as was the family and particular friends of Mr. Doe at his sudden death, his numerous acquaintances here—even those accustomed to meet him daily—all felt severely shocked and surprised at this announcement, which they had not even heard of his illness. From Wednesday the 7th inst., only had he been at all unwell, and it was less than twenty-four hours before his death when he was first regarded as dangerously ill.

Prior to the year 1903 Mr. Doe had, for several years, been the most far-seeing and able business man in Janesville. He had been successful in many of his various interests claiming his attention. In June of the latter year he accepted the Presidency of the Central Bank of Wisconsin, and in September 1902, on assuming active duty, as such officer, in the controlling management of that institution, he took up his permanent residence here. When that Bank reorganized, under the Act of Congress providing for the re-establishment of National Banks, and adopted its present organization under the name of the First National Bank of Janesville, Mr. Doe was chosen its President, which office he continued to hold to the end of his death. To his sagacity and financial ability, to his strict habits of business discipline and faithful devotion to the interests of his charge, the institution is largely indebted for its success, and the fact has been the result of his labors.

Both as a business man and as a citizen, Mr. Doe had, by his many excellencies, endeared himself to a large circle of friends and acquaintances by whom his loss will be felt and mourned with the sincerest sorrow.

Plain, practical, and sternly honest in all his habits, thoughts and actions, he yielded little to mere form and niggard to the exactions of ceremonial customs. He was at the same time kind, genial and social in his life, honorable and magnanimous in all his relations with his fellow men. No man in a higher degree professed the confidence and respect of his acquaintances, and no man was more worthy of respect and confidence.

DISSOLUTION.—The co-partnership between the late E. R. Doe and J. L. Darling, in the business of the Janesville City Quadrille Band, is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. All debts and accounts will be settled by J. L. Darling, who will pay all debts of the firm. All persons indebted to the firm are hereby requested to call and pay up immediately. A word to the wise is sufficient. ABRAHAM DANN.

GENERAL GROCERY BUSINESS!

The undersigned having this day formed a co-partnership under the name of DANN & EHRHART, for the purpose of doing a

AT THE OLD STAND!

and to all new customers they would say that they are confident of

GIVING GOOD SATISFACTION!

by selling them good goods as

Cheap as the Market will Afford.

JOHN DANN, O. H. EHRHART, oct20dawley229

MILWAUKEE & PRAIRIE DU CHIEF RAILWAY.

Trains leave Janesville as follows:

For Prairie du Chien at 1:30 p. m.

For Milwaukee at 1:30 p. m.

For Monroe at 1:30 p. m.

For Milwaukee & Prairie du Chien (freight) 2:30 p. m.

Trains arrive at Janesville as follows:

From Prairie du Chien at 11:45 a. m.

From Milwaukee at 11:45 a. m.

Books & Stationery.

BOOKS! BOOKS!! BOOKS!!!

Valuable New Publications

RECEIVED AT

SUTHERLAND'S!

WORK & PLAY—Bushnell.

The Church & the Rebellion—Staunton

The Chaplains and Clergy of the Revolution—Headley.

MEMOIR OF MRS. KEITH, Missionary of the P. E. C. to China.

Crusoe's Island—Cal. & Washoe, BY J. ROSS BROWN.

LIFE OF JEAN PAUL.

FORMS OF THE WAR—Baker.

FIRE-SIDE TRAVELS—Lowell.

FLOWERS BY GERMAN GARDENS BY MARY H. C. BOUTH.

Also 1,000 valuable Juvenile Books suited to all ages and conditions of life. oct16dawley79

HOLIDAY GOODS!

We are daily receiving direct from Publishers and Manufacturers, and immense stock of goods for

HOLIDAY PRESENTS.

CHRISTMAS TREES, &c.

Consisting in part of

PORTCAL WORKS, STANDARD

WORKS, JUVENILE BOOKS, TOY BOOKS,

PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS,

Portfolios, Writing Desks, Alphabet Blocks,

Puzzles, Dissected Maps,

In short we have the last variety of goods for the holidays we have ever offered in this city. LEAVITT & DEARBORN.

Miscellaneous.

PORTER'S

"Photograph Parlors."

This has now become one of the finest institutions of Janesville. The unbounded success which has attended the rooms since their opening, has more than met our most sanguine expectations, and a new building seems to be demanded.

Extending thanks to the entire community for

THE LIBERAL PATRONAGE

bestowed upon this institution, and the just appreciation given to our

WORKS OF ART

we solicit even a larger patronage to enable us by an increase of business to keep the prices of

Pictures Within the Reach of All.

For it is known that, despite that person who thinks pictures are high-priced, good pictures are the cheapest commodity in market.

We shall strive hard to please all, though we cannot promise to do it. But we will promise always to give you a good, life-like picture, and do it with the least possible trouble to the artist.

STEREOSCOPES

and Stereoscopic views of local scenes for sale at these rooms. We are also prepared to take Stereoscopic pictures of single objects or groups.

From Life or Scenes in Nature.

This is the only gallery in town, perhaps, where photographs can be made with Stereoscopic effect.

COME ONE, COME ALL,

and when you fall to get satisfactory pictures of yourselves or of your friends elsewhere.

TRY PORTER.

Janesville, August 11th, 1904. 853ang17dawley

E. S. BARROWS has the pleasure

of announcing the following list of

PARLOR COAL STOVES

for the trade of 1801-5, which comprise the leading Stoves of the year.

P. P. Stewart's Gas Burner,

MORNING GLORY,

LITTLEFIELD'S Parlor Furnaces,

EMPIRE GAS BURNER,

CHURCH'S GAS BURNER,

MORNING LIGHT,

SEAVEY'S GAS BURNER.

Also a choice collection of

CHEAP COAL STOVES!!

all of which will be found on exhibition at his store, and for which orders are solicited. Owing to a very great demand some of the above can only be furnished to order, and orders can only be filled in their turn. Orders received for Littlefield's Furnaces, also Seavey's Furnaces for heating houses.

Also a choice collection of

VERY IMPORTANT.

I have in stock a cheap and very effective Window Blind Lock, by which the blind is securely fastened so that it cannot be opened from the outside. Price, 25¢ per pair. E. S. BARROWS.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK CASH STORE!!

MONDAY, OCT. 8, 1864.

GREAT EXCITEMENT!!

In the

Dry Goods Trade!

PANIC PRICES

FOR TWO WEEKS!

OUR ENTIRE STOCK MARKED DOWN!

On a Gold Basis of \$1.25 to \$1.50,

Which is from

45 to 50 per cent. below present values!

PRINTS MARKED DOWN!

10 cents a yard.

BLEACHED AND BROWN SHEETING

Marked down 10 cents a yard

DELAINES MARKED DOWN!

10 cents a yard

LINENS MARKED DOWN!!

25 to 50 cents a yard.

And all other goods of this season, purchased in the same proportion.

OUR ENTIRE STOCK

Of French Merinos, Alpacaes, Mollins and all of our other Dry Goods are at our lowest prices. Consequently we are selling them at least 50 per cent. less than the present market prices. In these goods we have a very extensive stock, and defy all competition. Our entire stock of Dress Goods will be sold for the next two weeks at last year's prices.

LADIES CLOTHS AND CLOAKING.

We have a very large stock of these goods, that we are selling at least 25 per cent. below the present jobbing prices.

BALMORAL SKIRTS!

200 doz. Skirts now on sale. Having contracted early in the season with the manufacturers for skirts before the great cry, we are enabled to sell Balmorals at just fifty cents on the dollar on what they are worth now.

WOOLEN GOODS

25 per cent. below this or any other market. We would invite the particular attention of persons wishing to buy cloth, or garments in view to order, to examine our stock of goods, as it is by far the most extensive stock in this city, and second to none in the State.

Our entire stock of Mollins, Alpacaes, and Cashmere, Silk, Mixture, Double and Twist Cashmere, and our entire stock of Plain Woollens, are at last season's purchase, consequently it is perfectly true for parties buying their goods at this season to try to compete with us in this line.

Our stocks of Shirts, Grey Cloth, and medium woollens are very large, and we are selling 50 per cent. below the present manufacturers' prices.

Medical.

D. R. KNAPP & SON

Physicians and Surgeons,

FORMERLY OF NEW YORK, are treating successfully

CHRONIC DISEASES,

